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Will Succeed Bragg on the Interstate Commission.

THE NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

President's New Year's Reception Today

BE A BRILLIANT AFFAIR.

People All Want to Get a Glimpse at the Chilean Ambassador, Senor Montt.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—[Special.]—Attention from the white house today was centered on the nomination of ex-Congressman Clements as the interstate commerce commissioner. The nomination was made on the 30th and will go to the first batch of nominations.

The Fight Over the Judgeship.

Contest for the judgeship of the fifth district is growing exceedingly warm. President had at one time practically appointed the name of Louis E. Parsons, but the friends of David M. of the same state, who is likewise an attorney, sprung an old interview which he had given to a reporter, upon him, had thrown him overboard, at least for the time being.

The interview he is quoted as speaking of and declaring Harrison will not be before the republican convention. Parsons is denying this, however, and this fight is on there are other applicants nearly every state in the circuit. Families two, and the Texas people say McCormick, of Dallas, is going to be nominated.

Scandal is growing warmer each day. President is growing somewhat tired of some outsider to don the judicial robe. Speaker Crisp's condition today shows an improvement over yesterday. The prosecution of the case to exhaust his strength. Dr. Walsh will not venture upon it to his being able to prepare the house on Tuesday, but the president is rather against such a rapid recovery.

The President's Reception Today.

The president's reception this afternoon will probably be a larger crowd to see the president as they pass through the customary at such gatherings. Owing to the Chilean countess there is a great deal of curiosity in the crowd.

Reports that the president will be at the reception in the morning of his diplomatic gold and, probably be just as friendly with the president as any of our ministers plenipotentiary. In the meantime there is a feeling that all be an ultimate amicable settlement. President was informed today that the cabinet had been selected, and would consider the demands of the States government at once. It is highly probable here that Chile will be asked to make reparations for the attack upon the president's sailors, and will pay an indemnity to the families.

Post of this morning has a rather sensational telegram from ex-Mayor of New York, to Chile, in which he says that the cabinet (except Blaine, entertain him, of anger towards Chile, but that he is restraining this government from it. It goes on to say that Blaine at a dinner at Minister Montt's last Saturday evening, Grace was present. Blaine was interested in Chilean enterprisers, and it is intimated that he might be interested in the Chilean cable. Notwithstanding the peace talk, the navy department is making comparisons that would indicate an approach with Chilean men-of-war.

The Situation on the Rio Grande. Situation along the Rio Grande is becoming serious to the officials of the department. Should our small number of men on the frontier be unable to check revolutionists from preparing for their march on this side of the Rio Grande, the government can demand from us immediately. In order to prevent this along the border will be increased it is possible to transport troops.

E. W. B.

OHIO SENATORIAL FIGHT.

Has Established Headquarters and Is at Work.

REUS, O., December 31.—Ohio's senate has now reached its hottest degree, next few days will witness the most conflict of the kind that the state has ever known. Senator Sherman arrived here, accompanied by his private secretary, and proceeded to his headquarters at his house, and the day has been spent in greeting members of the legislature.

There was no demonstration on the arrival of Sherman and quietude was a noticeable feature of his work among the legislators. No new developments in the situation. The Sherman managers have no accessions to their ranks, but they will be a split in the Cuyahoga delegation which has been counted solid for Sherman and possibly 4.

WHERE THE NEED GROWS.

Statistics Issued by the Census Bureau.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—The census bureau has issued a bulletin giving the statistics of the population of the United States for 1890, as compared with 1880. The population of the United States in 1890 was 62,629,000, as compared with 38,556,000 in 1880. The increase was 24,073,000, or 62.5 per cent. The population of the United States in 1890 was 62,629,000, as compared with 38,556,000 in 1880. The increase was 24,073,000, or 62.5 per cent.

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OUR SPAT WITH CHILE.

Montt Has an Interview With Blaine—A Dispatch from Chile.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—Senor Montt Chilean minister, had another interview with Secretary Blaine today. The minister laid before the secretary the following translation of a telegram from Matta, minister of foreign affairs, bearing on the inquiry into the trouble in the city of Valparaiso between the Chileans and sailors from the United States steamship Baltimore.

SANTIAGO, December 31, 1891.—Minister of Chile, Washington. From a summary of proceedings, it appears that the struggle commenced between the two sailors in a tavern at ward "Arroyan" that it was continued in the streets with the accession of numbers of the inhabitants and transient parties from the streets called "Del Club" and "San Martin" where the police force succeeded in restoring order. All North Americans, except two, state that the police did their duty, and from voluminous proceedings it appears that the court has done as is doing its duty. Whenever the prosecuting attorney renders his opinion and the time for producing evidence is given, and how many are other parties, who may only be presumed at present. Whoever is guilty will be punished. Local proceedings are being actively carried forward to their proper termination.

MATT. The minister, when asked by an Associated Press reporter for an opinion respecting the statements made in the telegram, called special attention to the statement that all North Americans except two had said that the police did their duty. He regarded this as favorable to the Chilean side of the controversy. It is to be noted that the Chilean minister of foreign affairs promises that when the due process of law, according to Chilean jurisprudence, be observed, the lawless parties will be punished, and says that these judicial proceedings are being carried forward actively.

This, in connection with the statement that the police did their duty is significant as showing that the Chilean government does not wish that the action of individuals belonging in Chile shall be confounded with actions of those connected with the government and having official position. These lawless acts, part of individuals, as the dispatch says, are being inquired into under the usual judicial proceedings of Chile, which are conducted secretly and it is said with cumbersome delay, attaching nearly all courts delay their authority and precedents from Spain.

POWDER FOR THE CRUISE.

To Shell Chile With in Case She Does Not Behave.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—Secretary of War Elkins assumed charge of his department today.

Within the past two days 45,000 pounds of heavy powder and 22,000 pounds of gun cotton have been forwarded from the east to San Francisco. The brown powder is intended for the naval great guns and the gun cotton for shells and torpedoes.

Beyond these facts there is nothing to be learned at the departments this morning concerning war preparations. The Charleston and Baltimore, which are on route to this country, are expected to touch at San Francisco, and are expected to touch at San Francisco, and are expected to touch at San Francisco.

Secretary Blaine introduced the new French minister, Paenortre, to the president in the morning and then received the Mexican minister and Senor Montt, Chilean minister, at the state department.

THE STATE TROOPS MOVE

To Aid in Forcing Convict Labor on Free People.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 31.—[Special.]—The troops are off for Coal Creek. The state officials bided their time and kept their own counsel, and not until late this afternoon was it known that the order to move had been given.

General S. T. Carnes arrived from Memphis this morning and spent the day in making arrangements to move. At 9:20 o'clock to-night the special train pulled out from the union depot. The train consisted of the old iron-bound ammunition car that saw service during the late war, a baggage car and two passenger coaches. General Keller Anderson is in command of the sixty-six men that left here and will pick up six more at Tallahoma and twelve at Knoxville.

On the Way to the Mines.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., December 31.—[Special.]—The information reaches here tonight that the troops with the convicts are en route to Coal Creek tonight. They left Nashville about 7 o'clock p. m., and will reach here about 5 o'clock a. m. A special train, going out of Knoxville, is said to have the Briceville mines are not in shape for the convicts as yet, and that they will only be taken to Coal Creek.

SPORTING MEN AROUSED.

The Officials Are Interfering with Their Privileges.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., December 31.—[Special.]—The board of public works and affairs cast a bombshell into the camp of the sporting men today. When the reform government took effect, Chief Clerk was instructed to suppress gambling and Sunday liquor selling. Today the sports understood and claimed that an agreement was reached that if drunken men and minors were kept out of the houses and police surveillance could be kept, that they would be allowed to run baccarat and poker. Today the board made public an order calling Chief Clerk's attention to previous instructions, and reasserting their intention that there should not only be Sunday liquor selling, but that they would not authorize or tolerate any form of gambling. It is claimed that all games during the past month have been square, but that now they will be run in private rooms instead of public ones, and that the games may sometimes not be so square.

The Sun's Cotton Review.

New York, December 31.—Futures were very unsettled today, closing dull at a slight decline from yesterday's final figures. The market opened weak, local buyers opening at Liverpool was a disappointment to our bulls, but as that market further improved, closing 3-64d dearer, and estimates of small interior receipts for the week were circulated, business became more active and prices buoyant. At half-past 11 o'clock March contracts brought 17.57; May 8.66, and a specific trading twenty points below the lowest figures last Monday morning. Buying was nearly suspended, and later on when the clearing was 12,000 bales from Brunswick to go into this week's port receipts and the arrival of 74,000 bales at Baltimore were reported, prices rapidly receded, and the close was at the lowest figures of the day. Spot cotton was quoted nominally at 1-16d dearer.

Only a Religious Exercise.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—The commissioner of Indian affairs has received a letter from C. F. Ashley, agent of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Indians, in which he says that no trouble can come from the dancing now being indulged in by the Indians. He says it is a religious exercise, which he thinks is really an advance over their old religious customs.

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BANQUET TO HILL

On His Stepping Out of the gubernatorial Chair

INTO THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

Policy the Democratic Party Should Pursue

TO BE SUCCESSFUL NEXT NOVEMBER.

Fight the Exaggeration of the Billion Dollar Congress and Lay Every Thing Else Aside.

ALBANY, N. Y., December 31.—The farewell banquet tendered Governor David B. Hill by the democratic state officers tonight at the Kenmore hotel was the occasion of bringing together many prominent democratic politicians of this state. Covers were laid for 150 guests, all of whom were present. The tables were elaborately set off with flowers. At the top of the title-page of the menu were the words: "Farewell, Governor."

"And at the bottom of the page were the words: "All Hall, United States Senator." At the head of the table sat Secretary of State Frank Rice, with Governor Hill on his right and Governor-Elect Flower on his left, the incoming and outgoing state officers being seated each side of the governor.

Letter from Mr. Cleveland.

Letters of regret were received from ex-President Grover Cleveland and others. Secretary Rice acted as toastmaster, and at his request the dinner regular toast was responded to by David B. Hill, as governor, and Roosevelt P. Flower, as governor-elect. Mr. Flower spoke briefly, paying a glowing tribute to Governor Hill, pronouncing him the greatest leader the democracy had ever known. Governor Hill said, among other things:

"When I first knew I was to go to Washington my first emotion was that of every democratic supporter, who has been to Washington since 1863—where and how he most efficiently laid away from that enormous aggregation of centralized powers, usurped from the states, usurped from the people; the hideous, huge progeny of the war debt and of monstrous government partnerships with plutocrats of private enterprise."

"The increase of governmental power among us is away from all new areas and functions, and toward a steeper, wider, easier justice. I have long pending case of 'the man versus the state' as we see it with man and his liberty. Our politics, I trust, will turn upon these things."

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A CASTLE IN THE AIR.

A Portion of Dublin Castle Lifted with Dynamite.

DUBLIN, December 31.—A decided sensation was caused in this city today by an ill-fated rumor that the "physical force" party had resumed operations here and that their first attempt had been made against Dublin castle, the official residence of the earl of Zetland, viceroy of Ireland.

Out of a great deal of the excited rumor and gossip about these facts are sifted. Some alterations are in progress in the castle and a considerable number of workmen are employed.

Today while work was progressing a tremendous explosion occurred in the cellar under the castle, but the explosion was of no importance. Nobody was hurt so far as reported. Investigation shows that the explosion was not caused by escaping gas or any other accident, but that it was the work of dynamite and that some very powerful agent was used. Great reticence is observed by the castle authorities and employees and consternation prevailed among them. Two floors above the cellar were blown to pieces by heavy beams in some places being torn into small pieces. Furniture in the office beneath the private council chamber was completely destroyed.

The explosion was not serious. The castle officials state that after the first feeling of alarm had passed away the consequences of the explosion were found to be less serious than they had feared. An expenditure of a few pounds, they say, will repair damages. The private council chamber was completely destroyed.

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To the Granting of a Pension to Mrs. Jefferson Davis.

JACKSON, Miss., December 31.—[Special.]—Commenting upon the fact that a committee has been appointed in Memphis for the purpose of urging the various southern legislatures to vote pensions to Mrs. Jefferson Davis, The Evening Leader says:

"Should such a resolution be offered in the Mississippi legislature it will be knocked sky-high. This trouble has been expected for some time, as the road has forfeited the payment of interest on the bonds for more than a year. The total amount of the first mortgage bonds outstanding against the road is \$300,000."

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record has been kept by this agency, running back to 1879. The amount of liabilities, however, is almost precisely the same as the previous year, amounting to \$189,000,000. The amount lost, therefore, does not exceed that of the previous year, while the average of liabilities of failure is \$15,471 in 1891, against \$17,466 in 1890. The distribution of loss in geographical sections shows that the liabilities of failure in the eastern states in the year just closed were \$19,000,000 against \$27,000,000 last year.

In the middle states the liabilities were \$67,000,000 against \$75,000,000 in 1890. In the southern states a marked increase in liabilities is noted, as they amounted last year to \$45,000,000 against \$27,000,000 in 1890. In the western states there is a decline of \$2,800,000 in liabilities, while in the north the year just closed, to \$45,000,000 against \$50,000,000 in the year previous, while on the Pacific coast, in 1891, the liabilities amounted to \$9,000,000 as against \$7,000,000 in 1890.

HOW BUSINESS PANNED OUT.

Dun & Co. Tell of Trade for the Holidays

New York, December 31.—Business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., number for the United States 307 and Canada 72, or a total of 379, compared with 322 last week. Quiet in other trades at the season is not a bad sign, and nearly all reports add that the prospects for the coming year are considered unusually bright.

Satisfactory Reports.

The old year has closed with a little more than the usual holiday dullness in general trade, but reports as to the volume of the holiday trade are mainly satisfactory. At Chicago it was the heaviest ever known, at St. Louis it was unusually large and in jewelry the biggest known, but at Philadelphia and at New Orleans it was not quite up to expectations, and at Little Rock unsatisfactory. Quiet in other trades at the season is not a bad sign, and nearly all reports add that the prospects for the coming year are considered unusually bright.

Effect of Low-Priced Cotton.

Exceptions are to be found at the south, where the unusually low price of cotton, and the accumulation of extraordinary stocks cause depression in trade and stringency in the money market, but at New Orleans the money market is easier, though still there is a strong demand there, and at Richmond and Savannah. It is plain that the south is one obstacle to general progress at present, and the accumulation of stocks has become a heavy financial burden, and the price has dropped three-sixteenths during the last week to 75 for middling uplands at New York."

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THE DIVIDEND PAID.

New York Concludes to Cash the Central Draft,

AND MONEY BEGINS TO FLOW OUT

President Inman Telegraphs to President Alexander

THAT MATTERS ARE NOW ALL RIGHT.

The Floating Debt of the Central Was a Legacy from the Raoul Management.

SAVANNAH, Ga., December 31.—[Special.]—The trouble is all over. All the dividends guaranteed by the Richmond and Danville and its leased road, the Central, will be paid at once.

This was the information that came this morning in the following telegram: New York, December 31.—General E. P. Alexander: All payments will be made by the Danville under the lease, including the Central dividends. I am greatly gratified to be able to give matters this turn.

This was read at a meeting of the board of directors this morning by President Alexander. All the Savannah directors were present, and all or those from Atlanta, except Mr. Calhoun, who is in New York.

President Alexander Talks.

"Mr. John Inman was the only man north who fully understood the matter," said General Alexander to The Constitution correspondent, "and I believed that as soon as he was able to attend to it the difficulty would disappear and a proper condition of affairs be established. We had taken the right position in the matter and the result could not be otherwise than it has been. Of course I am glad that such is the case, as we want all the obligations carried out to the letter. When the Richmond and Danville ceased the payment of our drafts, why, of course, it practically brought the payment of all dividends to a close. Now, as you can see from Mr. Inman's telegram, everything is all right and all dividends will be paid promptly. If Mr. Inman had not been sick I do not think there would have been any trouble."

A2 o'clock General Alexander received word from New York that the Central's draft had been paid.

"You can state to the public," said he, "that the payment of all dividends due has begun, and will continue without interruption. The payment of the Southwestern dividend started today. Any one who has any shares can come and collect the dividend. The same holds good with regard to all other dividends that have been declared."

"The issue between the Central and the Georgia Pacific as to the claim against us for \$800,000, has been left to arbitration, as we requested," he continued. "The arbitrators have not yet been appointed. There is no hurry about this now."

President Alexander and the directors were evidently much relieved at the quick way in which President Inman had got rid of a dangerous crisis.

The Views of a Director.

Later in the day several of the directors were seen. They expressed the selves similarly to President Alexander. One of them, who was more talkative than the others, said: "The fact that the Central and Southwestern dividends are to be paid is a good thing, not only for Savannah, but for the whole state. First and last, here and in New York, these dividends, interest on bonds and debentures, amount to \$887,000, falling due this month and next. Of course it would not do to close these payments. The people and the country will feel it."

"What are the terms of settlement?" "The Central's demands have been acceded to; that is, the whole question of claims between the Georgia Central and the Richmond and Danville has been submitted to arbitration. Pending this decision the Central is to deposit in escrow certain securities with the Central Trust Company of New York."

"That was General Alexander's demand, was it not?" "Precisely. The Central has been willing to do this all the time. Mr. Inman was at his office today for the first time since his illness. I think this circumstance has given matters a favorable turn. There is one thing I wish to say. The impression which has gone out that the Central railroad was turned over by the Raoul management of the present administration free of floating debt is not true to this extent. They added the present management with the contract to build the Columbus and Western railroad, and also with the lease of the Port Royal and Augusta railroad, which was a very expensive affair. I think the intimation that the floating debt of four million was accumulated by wild financing is an outrage. There were other contracts made by the former management, but the two I have mentioned are enough to create the floating debt alluded to. No road in the country as large as the Central is without a floating debt. It is folly to suppose so."

The Augusta, Gibson and Sandersville.

AUGUSTA, Ga., December 31.—[Special.]—The Augusta, Gibson and Sandersville railroad is in trouble. The first mortgage bondholders foreclosed their mortgage against the road today. Judge Henry H. Tompkins, of Atlanta, who represents the New York Central Trust Company, which holds the bonds of the northern bondholders, arrived in Augusta this morning and filed a bill of complaint of the trust company against the narrow gauge road with Mr. Irvin Alexander, deputy clerk of the United States court. The bill of complaint is simply a foreclosure of the mortgage bonds. On last Tuesday Judge Pardee, of the United States court, for this circuit, issued a temporary restraining order to prevent the railroad from selling or disposing of any of the property. The railroad is required to answer the restraining order before Judge Pardee in Savannah, on the 12th of January, and to show cause why the temporary injunction should not be made permanent, and a receiver appointed for the road. Major Quincy represents the railroad, and Butler, Hillman & Hubbard, of New York, are the attorneys of the Central Trust Company, which holds the bonds of the northern bondholders. This trouble has been expected for some time, as the road has forfeited the payment of interest on the bonds for more than a year. The total amount of the first mortgage bonds outstanding against the road is \$300,000.

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JOHNSTON-REESE.

Brilliant Wedding at Macon Last Evening.

NEW YEAR DAY IN ATLANTA.

Some of the Entertainments of Today. News and Gossip About People.

The first day of the year 1892 will be spent in feasting and merriment by the young society.

The largest New Year afternoon reception will be held at the home of Miss Louise Higby. She announces that she will have a reception from 2 to 5 o'clock this afternoon, during which she will give a very elegant reception. The entertainment will be given in the parlors of the house, which is a most beautiful and comfortable one. The decorations are of a very elegant and artistic character, and the refreshments are of a most delicious and substantial nature. The guests will be received by Miss Higby and her mother, Mrs. J. B. Higby, who is a most popular and hospitable hostess.

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WITH DYNAMITE.

Will Uncle Sam's Men Conquer Alabama Moonshiners,

BY BLOWING UP THEIR BUILDING

Unless the Mountaineers Give In—Thirty Armed Officials with Colonel Chapman Near Fort Payne.

The trouble near Fort Payne, Ala., between moonshiners and government officials has assumed big proportions.

Colonel Chapman joined the forces yesterday, together with two deputy marshals from Anniston, three from Huntsville and two from Montgomery, making a band of thirty officers armed to the teeth.

Another serious encounter took place yesterday. Deputy Marshals B. W. Briggs and A. C. Sorrell left from Black Oak creek settlement, in DeKalb county, on Sand mountain, several miles from Fort Payne, the deputies with fourteen men reached their destination.

There was situated the headquarters of seven moonshiners, desperate men all of them, for each of whose capture a liberal reward had been offered.

The place was surrounded by a stone wall with iron bars and a door bolted with iron. The officers approached it, and demanded a surrender. The reply was a volley through a number of holes in the wall.

Deputy Marshal D. M. Jackson was shot in the shoulder, and fell, badly wounded. Uncle Sam's men returned the fire, and yesterday, it was reported that one moonshiner had been instantly killed and another dangerously wounded by it.

But the odds were against the government men, and they retired, going to Fort Payne late Wednesday night. Yesterday they gathered their forces together, prepared provisions for three days and got good-sized cannon and some dynamite.

With this they will blow the structure to pieces if it becomes necessary.

Arrangements were made for an advance to be made on the Sand mountain still last night. The place is owned and operated by two moonshiners, named Sprouse and Kirke, both of them as rough and dangerous as their band. There is no doubt but that a desperate encounter will take place.

That is, unless the moonshiners have availed themselves of the opportunity to cross the mountains and make their escape. In the case they will be pursued with all vigor by the heavy government force.

Colonel Chapman and Deputy Collector W. W. Colquitt were with the men who first followed Bob Sims and his gang in the middle of September. It was a perilous trip, but the colonel has reasons to believe that this one will prove fully as exciting an adventure.

The Alabama moonshiners in certain sections are noted for their lawlessness and reckless daring, and unless Sprouse's band has taken to the hills, the result will be a decidedly unpleasant one.

The particulars of the march to Sand mountain will certainly be watched with a great deal of interest.

Habitual constipation cured and the bowels kept regular by the use of Carter's Little Liver Pills in small doses. Don't forget this.

Mr. Robert Fausse, Closes His Restaurant and Cafe.

Last night Mr. Robert Fausse, who, perhaps, is as well known as any man in the city, closed his restaurant and cafe business. He begs to thank his many customers and friends for their patronage and best wishes.

He will be in the city this morning and open a large wholesale liquor and wine business at No. 11 S. Broad street. It will be first-class in every particular. Those acquainted with Mr. Fausse—know that he will keep the best goods or none at all.

Call at his office and shake his hand today.

Guaranteed Company of North American a United States Guarantee Company.

If you are required to give bonds for the honest and faithful performance of your duties in a position of trust, you must either obtain two or more sureties of good name and standing, or apply to a guarantee company. Which will you do?

CHARLES C. THORN, Room 30, Old Capitol.

nov 11-dly fri sun tue

LADIES' COLUMN.

OSTRICH FEATHERS cleaned, curled and dyed as well as kid gloves cleaned and dyed, at Phillips', 14 Marietta street.

ARE YOU GOING TO GET MARRIED? Then have your invitations gotten out in the latest style in copperplate type by The Constitution job office. Elegant work and appropriate stationery.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

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SYRUP OF FIGS.

ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when

Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant

and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys,

Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head-

aches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the

only remedy of its kind ever pro-

duced, pleasing to the taste and ac-

ceptable to the stomach, prompt in

its action and truly beneficial in its

effects, prepared only from the most

healthy and agreeable substances,

its many excellent qualities com-

mend it to all and have made it

the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c

and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists.

A reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Saler for new year. Address with

stamp, giving former occupation and references.

WANTED—Experienced accountant; well ac-

quainted; reference required. Address R. H.

James, 4 Marietta st.

WANTED—Salesmen can easily make \$2000

per week above expenses selling our Patent

Non-Freezing, Non-Freezing, Chemical Fire

Insurance, \$100 in a day possible; big demand; no

experience necessary; sold only by agents, to whom

CUT PRICES ON EVERYTHING

AT

M. RICH & BROS.

We have still quite a number of articles suitable for gifts for the holiday season, which we desire to dispose of and thus clear out this stock, so

WE HAVE CUT PRICES ON EVERYTHING

Now is the time, of all others, to buy cheap as we must get rid of these goods. We do not intend to carry any of them over to another year if we can help it, so come to see us for BARGAINS.

CLOAKS! JACKETS! WRAPS!

at less than manufacturer's cost prices. Don't forget this as we mean to let you have these goods even if we do have to sacrifice them.

Special Prices for all Kinds of Fancy Goods.

CUT PRICES ON FURNITURE.

CUT PRICES ON CARPETS.

ABOUT CHAIRS—We have a goodly number of Chairs left over from our Christmas sales, more than we want to keep and we mean to sell them.

THE PRICES WILL BE MADE TO SUIT YOU

EVERYTHING AT COST!

We mean just what we say. We will sell everything in our store at cost, so if you want anything in the way of Dress Goods, Trimmings, Fancy Goods, Novelties, Carpets, Furniture, Draperies, Art Goods, in fact anything that we can sell you,

NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

M. RICH & BROS.

54 and 56 Whitehall Street. 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 East Hunter Street.

SNIDER'S

THE PLACE

84 WHITEHAL ST., ATLANTA.

We are going to take a January inventory of stock, and to get out of as much work as possible we will reduce the goods in each division of the house by marking on bargain prices that have not been marked on this market or any other.

BRILLIANT BARGAINS.

TAKE 'EM OFF! TAKE 'EM OFF! TAKE 'EM OFF!

Watches, Precious Stones,

Jewelry at Quaint Figures.

Private and Christmas tree purchasers can have the selection of our small stock of remaining fancy goods and toys and dolls, consisting of Albany, Plush and Silver Dressing Cases, Shaving Sets, Handkerchiefs, Fancy Cups and Saucers, Gift Books, Christmas and New Year Cards, Work Boxes, Vases, Statuary, Wheelbarrows, Stick Horses, Games, Guns, and about 500 dolls, etc., at their own prices, to clear them away for the January inventory, as well as

CROCKERY! CROCKERY!

No sensible bids refused. Drop in and look around, it won't hurt you. Big prices will not do in these hard times when the wealthy cannot afford to waste their money, and the poor require double duty of every dollar and every cent.

Our prices with stock change constantly, therefore we cannot give prices for any length of time, but it will be our aim day by day to throw out among you people matchless goods and matchless prices in each division of the hour, that will compel you to buy of us in self-defense.

We offer such unanswerable arguments as no house can match; specialties at quotations no others can offer; stern and stubborn figures that will level your head on the subject of genuine bargains.

What is the use of wasting a dollar when you can save it? We are indeed THE PLACE for panic prices and surprising goods.

Box Paper, Box Paper!

will be cleared away with a rush.

Want Cutlery, Want Tinware, Want Woodenware, Want Stationery, Want Art Goo is, Want Glassware, Want Fancy Notions, Want Lamp Goods, Want Walking Canes, Want Perfumery, Want Toilet Articles, Want Sporting Goods, Want Anything Else,

IF YOU

See us before the great January Inventory!

NEW YEAR RESOLVES.

Today is the Day to Do the Annual
SWEAR-OUT ACT.SOME RESOLUTIONS THAT WERE FORMED
And Which May and May Not Be
Fulfilled—New Year's
Day, 1892.Today the new year begins.
And beginning with it, three-fourths of
America's adult population will register solemn
New Year's resolves.They always do it—it's the same thing over
again.Last night when the many clocks tolled the
midnight hour, the old year of 1891 passed into
the gloom and obscurity of the past, and a new
year, bright with hope and promise, was ushered in.Thousands of people sat up and watched the
old year die away, with mingled feelings of
joy and sadness.They welcomed the coming and speeded the
parting year.The record of the new year has begun. The
great old world is moving on, and the vast
machinery of time has begun to grind out the
days and weeks of '92. The record of last
year has been bundled up and the great number
has been done just a little better, will make their
annual New Year's resolves today."Oh, I've sworn off," will be heard many
times within the next few days.All kinds of New Year's resolves are made,
the character of them depending altogether on
the person who makes them.The confirmed drunkard, the moderate
drinker and the occasional tippler will
swear off and resolve not to touch
a drop of liquor during the year. Many of
these resolves are kept; some are broken in a
few days.A prominent gentleman, speaking of this
class of swear-offs, said yesterday: "Two
years ago, tomorrow, one of the best hearted
and most prominent young men in Atlanta
swore off from the drink habit. He had been
a pretty hard drinker for several years before
that time, and his career was watched with
interest. He kept the resolution so
well for the first year, that last
year he swore off altogether, resolving never
to take another drink during his whole life.
He never tasted liquor in any form, from the
strongest to the weakest, until Christmas
week, when he got gloriously drunk. He has
been drunk ever since, and will hardly be in
condition to swear off this year."That's the history of one man's New Year's
resolve; quite true, too, and very pathetic.The smoker also swears off New Year's Day,
and for a fortnight after that day the cigar
dealers' receipts are considerably lessened by
this fact."I'm going to quit cigarettes," or "I am
going to quit smoking altogether," was spoken
frequently yesterday.Along with the hard drinker, the hard
smoker, comes the hard sweeper, with his little
resolution to stop swearing. It is safe to say
that there is less profanity during the month
of January than any other month during the
year.

The swearers have sworn off.

Some New Year's Resolutions.

Governor Northen's New Year's resolution
is to do all in his power to secure the
Georgia exhibit at the world's fair. He started
the fulfillment of this resolution by issuing
a call to the people of Georgia
on this subject.Mayor Hemphill resolved that January 1,
1892, should find the finances of the city in as
good condition as now, and that the magnificent
waterworks system will be finished by
October 1st.Chairman Rice, of the finance committee,
formed a New Year's resolution on the same
line, so far as the finances are concerned.Chairman Turner, of the bridge committee,
resolved that the next new year should see the
forthright street bridge near completion.Ordinary Calhoun resolved to issue more
marriage licenses this year than ever before.He made this same resolution one year ago, and
fulfilled it to the letter.Sheriff Jim Morrow begins the new year
by having determined to discharge his
duties fully, and to get a new jail if possible.Tax Collector Andy Stewart resolves that
the tax returns shall be larger than ever.Jay Capner resolves that the Atlanta fire
department will enter the new year with
its record unbroken as the best company
in the state, and that there shall be
no less fires than ever in Atlanta."I have resolved," said Chief Connolly,
"that the Atlanta police force shall be kept up
to the standard, and be behind none in efficiency.
I have also resolved to give the news-
papers reporters an office at the station house."Captain Couch and his men firmly resolved
that no thieves should go uncaught in Atlanta.Recorder Calhoun resolved to do something
to promote the growth of hair, and to administer
fines in proportion to the offense committed.A well-known young newspaper man
resolved to get married before another year
passed. He will carry his resolve into effect
very soon.Councilman-Elect Charles Northen has re-
solved to pay no attention to Albert Perdue's
blatant anti-fair. And he has made one or
two other resolves that he doesn't care to make
public.Sandy Cohen has resolved to work for as
good a year as he did last, and under
no circumstances to "work" the papers.Joe Hirsch resolves that the Grady hospital
shall be completed during 1892.

He'll tell you why.

Manager DeGue resolves to have his new
theater ready early in the new year and to
have it the finest in the country.Manager Kleibach resolves to keep at it
with his pretty little house and to show that
Atlanta is big enough for two theaters.Ed Callaway's swear-off is on a certain kind
of hair. The story is that Ed has been
trying to grow a lock of hair, and has given up
hope. He says Sam Beal recommended it, and
thought that insured its value.Sam Hardwick, of the Georgia Pacific, has
resolved to diet himself to prevent the rapid
increase of adipose tissue so noticeable in his
physique. He and Turk have taken the same
resolve.Dr. Woodward has already sworn off from
politics, and says he intends to keep it.Burt, the old look store man, will astonish
the public with no "fakes" this year. Every-
thing he claims hereafter will be found to be
true.Representative McCollum, of the Western
and Atlantic, resolves that not a single sched-
ule on his list will be a fake. He has made
himself on the old reliable State
road, and he has made himself on the
general public, resolves that the line's pas-senger business shall show a larger increase
than it ever did in any one year.General Passenger Agent W. W. Collins, of the
East Tennessee, has made a big point resolu-
tion, which is signed by Mr. Kight and all the
other assistants and agents. The preamble re-
lates that, several years ago, the system of
having been built up and it is one
of the greatest in the country, that
every man will hustle in 1892 as he never did
before. The last clause in the agreement is
that, without regard to race, color, sex, age or
previous condition of servitude, every probable
traveler shall be carried by the East Ten-
nessee. This agreement is sealed with a little
red "huzzar."General Manager Green, of the Richmond
and Danville, resolves that his great system
shall run as smoothly as clock work, and that
agents shall be recognized in promotions.Mr. Thompson, who is the finest assistant
general manager in the world, has absolutely
nothing at all to swear off from. All his resolu-
tions are good.General Passenger Agent James L. Taylor
resolves that the public shall have the quickest
schedules and best service that can be given.
And Ed Werner puts in a resolve for him-
self and the Richmond and Danville—that it
will remain at the top of the heap.Judge Newsum will sing no more; Scott
Thornmont won't act again until he gets a good
chance.So the world will be better this year of 1892
—if the resolves "go."But they are too numerous to mention.
Everybody makes New Year's resolutions
and it would take a book to print one-half of
them.New Year's resolutions are good, but they are
not always infallible. They sometimes get
broken.

FROM OUR NOTEBOOKS.

Will Not Close.—None of the departments of
the county courthouse will be closed today.They Have La Grippe.—Mr. E. W. Marsh is
confined to his home with the prevailing malady.
Mr. J. G. Oglesby has just recovered from
an attack, and is able to be about his business.Gone to Washington.—Colonel W. C. Glenn
left Atlanta yesterday for Washington city, where
he will argue the Sanges case before the supreme
court. While at the national capital Colonel
Glenn will be the guest of Judge L. Q. C. Lamar.Watch Service Last Night.—The Young
Men's Christian Association held a pleasant watch
night service in their parlors last night from 11
until 12 o'clock. A large crowd was present, and
the old year was ushered out with appropriate
ceremony.A Burglar Escapes.—The police are on the
lookout for Eliza Stover, a negro burglar who
escaped from the penitentiary camp, near Chicka-
mauga, on last Saturday. Stover was sent up for
seven years. There is a reward of \$100 offered for
his capture.Registering Their Business.—Yesterday some
twenty-five or thirty liquor dealers and others
registered with Ordinary Calhoun. The books
will close this afternoon. The law compels
certain dealers to register not later than January
1st. So today is the last day.An Officer Hurt.—Patrolman Upchurch was
badly injured early yesterday morning. He slipped
from a platform under the Broad street bridge
and fell upon a rail with much force. He was so
badly hurt that he had to be carried home. It is
feared that he is internally injured.A Damage Suit.—Yesterday morning Mr.
Peter Francisco Smith, attorney for William F.
Smith, filed in the superior court a suit for \$10,000
against the Atlanta and West Point Railroad Com-
pany. The plaintiff, who was a passenger, was in-
jured in an accident the 24th of last month.Sunday Hours at the Postoffice.—The post-
office will observe Sunday hours today. It will
be opened for the transaction of business from 8:30
o'clock to 10:30 o'clock this morning, and at 9
o'clock the full delivery of today will be made.
The other departments of the United States will
all be closed.She Has Gone.—Little Julia Stovall has gone
to Augusta, in accordance with the agreement be-
tween Mr. Stovall and Mrs. Nita Brantley.
The little girl was accompanied by her aunt,
Mrs. Brantley, who, according to the terms of the
agreement, will be allowed to visit her as often as
she wishes to do so.Petition for a Charter.—Yesterday the Phil-
lips & Crew Company petitioned for a charter
to incorporate as Henry J. Phillips, Ben B.
Crew, H. T. Phillips, Jr., Robert S. Crew and Gil-
bert Smith. The capital stock is \$50,000, and may
be increased to \$200,000. The company will do a
general business.A Nice Entertainment.—There was a nice
entertainment at West End, last night, in Cald-
well's hall, for the benefit of West End mission.
A nice Christmas tree was prepared for the chil-
dren of the mission Sunday school, and a nice
time was enjoyed. Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. Mary
Gregory and Mrs. John J. Logue had the enter-
tainment in charge.A Grand Time.—Company B, Confederate Veter-
ans, had a grand time at its meeting place on
Deatur street last night. An elegant spread was
served, and the veterans never enjoyed themselves
better. As the dispersed of the syndicate, the
swapped war experiences. Justice Landrum pre-
sided, and speeches were made by Colonel Robert
L. Rodgers, J. Clay Smith and others. They re-
mained at the hall until near midnight.He Comes to Atlanta.—Mr. E. D. Herring,
one of the best known, most successful and most
popular traveling men in the south, will be found
today with Everett, Ridley, Rogers and Co.
For twenty years Mr. Herring has been covering
a large southern territory for Hood, Bonbright &
Co., of Philadelphia, and has made friends every-
where. He is one of the most courteous and
affable gentlemen who will sing Atlanta's praises
this year.A New Organist.—The music committee of the
Central Presbyterian church has elected as or-
ganist and choir-master Mr. Isaac M. Mayer, the
organist and composer. For a year or more Mr.
Mayer was the organist of St. Philip's church, and
raised the music to a high standard. He is not
only a skillful organist, but a fine director. Under
his administration the Central Presbyterian church
will have as good music as any church in
Atlanta. The church is to be congratulated upon
having secured Mr. Mayer.Mutual Life Change.—After today the sign
on the window of the Mutual Life agency in this
city will read: Cunningham & Shedden, general
agents, instead of A. T. Cunningham, general
agent, R. F. Shedden, assistant general agent, as
heretofore. The advancement of Mr. Shedden to
a full partnership in the Georgia general agency
of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New
York, is a compliment seldom paid so young a
man, and shows no doubt the high esteem in
which he is held by the officials of his com-
pany. Mr. Shedden has been for three years
associated with the management of this company's
Georgia department, and in that time has made
friends all over the state who will rejoice at his
deserved success and congratulate the company on
the wisdom of its choice.Mr. Talmadge Richards, now traveling for a
big company, but formerly one of THE CONSTITU-
TION'S printers, is on a visit to the city, where his
old friends are glad to meet him.Mr. GEORGE W. HARRISON is confined to his
bed at home with la grippe.

TO CALIFORNIA.

A Carload of Missionaries Leave Atlanta
This Afternoon.

HEADED BY BISHOP ATTICUS G. HAYGOOD.

The North Georgia Conference Projected
on the Pacific Coast—Bishop Haygood's
Great Work in a Far Country.A carload of missionaries will leave here
tomorrow," remarked Dr. J. W. Lee, as he
dropped into THE CONSTITUTION office.

"What do you mean?"

"I mean just what I say. A carload of
missionaries will leave here tomorrow.""Where do they come from and where are
they going?""They come from the north Georgia confer-
ence and they are going to California with
Bishop Haygood. Next fall he is coming
back to get ten or twelve more."

"And what does it all mean?"

"It means that the north Georgia conference
is projecting itself on the Pacific slope."This brief statement opens up the story of
one of the most important events that has oc-
curred in the south since the war.With these twenty souls—these active, zealous
and devoted men and women—will go to the
Pacific coast, not only the ideas of the Metho-
dist church, with its powerful genius for reli-
gious work, but with them will go all the
highest and noblest ideals of the
Anglo-Saxon race, unimpaired with those
isms and unhappy clashing ideas everywhere
prevalent in the states north of us. A few
days ago a gentleman from Pennsylvania, who
was born and raised in England, remarked
that he found the southern people more like
those of his native land than any he had ever
associated with. He spoke the truth. He was
among an Anglo-Saxon people, well tempered
with Celtic blood, and it is just this class of
people that will give that missionary car its
precious freight this afternoon.First and foremost in this band of pioneers
is Bishop Atticus G. Haygood, whose natural
force of character and intellect have made him
a name throughout the United States—a man
well equipped to be a leader of pioneers in
this great advance of Georgia Methodists
upon the Pacific coast. With him goes the
wife and helpmate of his life.About a year ago Bishop Haygood was
elected to the episcopal office, and with the
new burden of responsibility upon him, was
constrained, like Paul, to go far from
friends and kindred to find new fields of
labor. He went to Mexico and was captivated
by the beauty and natural wealth of the coun-
try; he was impressed with its traditions, and
especially by the tender and lasting affection
for General Jackson, manifested in the tribute
of fresh flowers on his tomb every morning.
This brave Indian fought for his country and
deposed Maximilian, the last personification
of foreign power in Mexico.From Mexico Bishop Haygood went to
the southern California where he found a great
and promising field, occupied by a busy, enter-
prising, intelligent and cultivated people, who
are liberal and full of the milk of human kind-
ness, but so absorbed in the tremendous work
of material development that they have not
paid much attention to religious matters.They received the bishop with open arms and
offered to give him a \$5,000 house if he would
stay. He declined to receive it as a gift for
himself, but accepted it in the name of the
Southern Methodist church as an episcopal
residence, to be occupied by the bishop of
that district, whoever might be elected.The field has been largely occupied by
northern Methodists, but the southern church is
laying broad foundations for a great
work, and their ministers have been kindly
received. In some places they have
been given lots and helped to build churches,
so that there are now about forty churches of
the Southern Methodist system in the Los
Angeles conference. Bishop Haygood has
decided to cast his lot with these people and
to carry with him a large band of missionaries
from the north Georgia conference.Accordingly he appeared before the con-
ference at its recent session in Carters-
ville and made a speech in which he
laid the case before the body and called for
volunteers. There were twenty volunteers
and they make up the party which leaves At-
lanta this afternoon at 4:15 o'clock, by way of
the Atlanta and West Point railway.The party is composed of the following
persons:Bishop A. G. Haygood and wife; Rev. J. J.
G. N. Kenney and wife, of Eatonton; Rev.
Duncan Edwards, wife and sister, Rev. Henry
Branham and wife, of Oxford; Rev. J. F.
Tyson and wife; Rev. A. A. Tilley; Rev. B. H.
Greene, Rev. L. M. Green, Miss
Pauline Dunlap, a daughter of Rev. W. C.
Dunlap, president-elect of the Dalton district;
Rev. Fletcher Gresham and wife, of Carters-
ville, and Rev. J. O. Davis."All of these are first-class men," remarked
Dr. Lee, "and would be assigned to important
charges if they remained in this conference.
Rev. J. J. G. N. Kenney is a brother-in-law of
Rev. J. G. Robins, of the First church, At-
lanta, and is one of the best preachers in the
north Georgia conference. I regard him as a
pulpit orator of rare ability. Rev.
Duncan Edwards is a newspaper man,
gifted in correspondence and reporting; Rev.
Henry Branham comes of preaching stock.
His father has been one of the leading preachers
of the north Georgia conference for fifty
years, and is a cousin of Rev. I. K. Branham,
a prominent Baptist divine. The three young
ministers are strong, active, intelligent men.
Of Brother B. H. Greene especially I expect
great things. Mrs. Pauline Dunlap goes to
the mission station at Laredo. Notwith-
standing the hard year—the hardest we have
ever had in twenty years—the conference
raised \$4,000 to send these mission-
aries to California and pay their ex-
penses for a month or two. They will
get more than that if they need it. These
men are going out there to build up churches.
California has 1,200,000 people and our church
has only about two thousand members there.
They go by way of the Atlanta and West
Point railway, Montgomery and Mobile to
New Orleans, and from there to California by
the Southern Pacific road, the management of
which has been very kind to them."There will be a great gathering of friends
at the depot this afternoon at 4:15 o'clock to
see the missionaries off. It will be a rare and
impressive scene—these twenty Georgians
going to the Pacific coast. Many of them,
perhaps, will never be seen in Georgia again.
There are 3,000 miles between here and Cali-
fornia, and it is an expensive journey, not
easily undertaken by people with respon-
sibilities."Every tissue of the body, every nerve, bone
and muscle is made stronger and more healthy
by taking Hod's Sarsaparilla.

The Library Closed Today.

The Young Men's library will be closed today,
as New Year's Day is a legal holiday, and is cus-
tomary for the library to be closed at such times.The book circulation of the past month is the
largest for a long time, and this evidence of the
increased popularity of the library is very grati-
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A SERIOUS JOKE

That Came Near Resulting in the Death of
a Barrow County Man.A rural gentleman who came to Atlanta to
spend Christmas came near losing his life in a
room at the National hotel last night.It was probably his first night in a hotel and
he had not been found just when he was it
would undoubtedly have been his last.He locked his door securely and, as he was
used to doing the old tallow candle, blew out
the gas and went to bed, fully satisfied with
the enjoyment he had found spending Christ-
mas in a great city.He went to the National hotel early in the
evening and registered as Mitchell Duncan,
Barrow county. With every untainted inno-
cence he shied up to the clerk's desk and
asked in sudden tones:"Say, mister, do people have to go to bed as
soon as they write their names on that book?""Oh, no," was the reply, "you can stay up
as long as you want to, but I would advise you
to stay off the street and out of saloons."With this advice Duncan sat down in con-
versation with a couple of gentle-
men. They soon sized up their man and
thought they would have some fun out of him.
One of the gentlemen produced a five-dollar
bill and proposed going out and having some
fun.Duncan readily agreed, and with a flourish
threw \$50 on the seat. The gentlemen found
that he was so thoroughly in earnest that they
changed the conversation. Finally Duncan
decided to hit the town alone, and started out.The gentlemen who had been in conversation
with him, knowing he had considerable money
on him, followed him.Before they had overtaken the man they
heard a struggle. They rushed up and found
Duncan engaged in an encounter with a negro
highwayman. The highwayman, a tall, dark
man, was armed with a revolver and a
knife, and was trying to get the man's gold
watch. He was carried back to the hotel and
advised to stay inside.In the first conversation between the trio,
one of the city men, through fun, said some-
thing about blowing out the gas in a manner
to give Duncan to understand that such was
the custom.He finally went to his room and retired. A
party in the office got to discussing the rural
visitor, when somebody suggested that it would
be a good idea to go up and see if he had
blown out the gas. He had been in bed about
two hours.The door was pounded on for several min-
utes, but no response came. At last it was
broken open, and the room was filled with gas,
and Duncan was lying on the bed almost as-
phyxiated. A physician was called, and after
considerable time and treatment the man was
pulled past the danger line, but his escape was
a narrow one.He will probably spend his next Christmas
at home.

GONE TO WASHINGTON.

The Congressmen Returning to Be Ready
for the Opening Wednesday.Congressman Livingston will leave for
Washington tonight, accompanied by his wife
and daughter, Miss Carrie. They will spend
two or three months in Washington with Col-
onel Livingston.Congressman Everett leaves tomorrow, ac-
companied by his wife and son, who remain in
Washington until congress adjourns.Mr. W. S. Copeland, who has a position in
Washington, is last night for that city, ac-
companied by his wife and three children.Mr. Copeland has secured a nice home,
where he will live with his family until the
adjournment of congress. Before leaving
he has prepared a barrel of home-cured
hams and a tierce of lard for shipment to
Washington.

"I intend to eat Georgia hams," said he.

A RECEIVER APPOINTED

To Take Charge of a Millinery Store on
Peachtree Street.Judge Marshall J. Clarke yesterday morn-
ing appointed Mr. Mike Blount receiver for
the millinery store of G. M. Jackson, at No. 97
Peachtree street.Armstrong, Cater & Co., of Baltimore, to
whom Jackson is indebted to the extent of
\$502, asked that the court appoint a receiver
to take charge of the business.Mr. Blount at once took charge of the store.
The liabilities are about two thousand
dollars and the stock of goods and other assets
are worth about the same amount.A mortgage on the stock for \$1,200 is held
by Jackson's mother.The petition attacks this transfer as fraudu-
lent and asks that it be set aside.

A temporary injunction was granted.

Any one can take Carter's Little Liver Pills
they are so very small. No trouble to swallow
No pain or griping after taking.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ALSTON.

The funeral of Mrs. Lillie Froel Alston took
place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.The services were held at St. Luke's and were
very impressively conducted by Rev. Dr. R. S.
Barrett. The beautiful Episcopal service was
read and several hymns were chanted.The floral offerings were unusually profuse and
pretty and banks of fresh flowers were formed.
The lovely character of Mrs. Alston, and the
highest and love which every one felt for her,
were easily shown by the large and sorrowing
congregation present. Her death proved the deepest
loss to her circle of friends.The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers:
Dr. Lind, Mr. Henry Hillier, Mr. George W.
Lind, Mr. E. S. Gay, W. T. Eckford and W. H.
Fickling. The burial took place at Oakland.

Thoroughly Sooted.

The woman who has once tried
Pearline is suited. It suits
millions of women who are
using it; and millions more
are following suit. It washes
easily, to save your clothes and
your strength; it cleans thor-
oughly, to save your time and
your temper. Do you know
that with Pearline there is little
or no rubbing? It is the rub,
rub, rubbing that wears out
your clothes and wears off your
paint. You will like Pearline,
because it is sure; there is
nothing like it, because it is
safe.

Beware of imitations. 230 JAMES PYLE, N.Y.

MONON ROUTE

Are you going to Chicago, or any point in the
northwest via Chicago? If so, ask your ticket
agent for tickets via Louisville, Or via Cin-
cinnati and Indianapolis. Cincinnati, Hamilton and
Dayton and Monon positively the only line run-
ning between Louisville and Chicago, and the
shortest route, with magnificent dining cars and
comfortable sleeping cars.W. H. McDowell, JAMES BARKER,
General Manager, Gen. Pass. Agent

SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR

SYMPTOMS OF LIVER DISEASE:
Loss of appetite; bad breath; bad taste in
the mouth; tongue coated; pain under the
shoulder-blade; in the back or side—often
mistaken for rheumatism; sour stomach
with flatulency and water-brash; indiges-
tion; bowels lax and costive by turns;
headache, with dull, heavy sensation;
restlessness, with sensation of having left

THE STAR ROUTES.

Contracts for 7,000 Routes in the Southern States to Be Let.

EIGHTY THOUSAND BIDS RECEIVED.

The Awards to Be Announced On or Before February 23.—Something About the Star Route Service.

Contracts for 7,000 star routes are to be awarded on or before February 23. The proposals have been in some time and some bids have already been accepted.

The coming renewal of the star route service under four year contracts for 7,000 of the 10,000 routes of the United States, has an unusual interest because of its close connection with the proposed delivery of mail from house to house in the rural districts. The star routes will be to the rural deliveries what the principal arteries are to the circulation of the blood. The town people know little of this service, but it is of vast importance to those who live in the country. Millions of people get their mail that way.

It is to them a mark of vast importance. For the 7,000 contracts now to be let more than eighty thousand bids have been received. The contracts go into effect on the 1st of July, 1892, and continue until June 30, 1896.

The star routes are the survival of the system of mail carrying by stage coach and on horseback before the days of railroads. The rapid extension of railroads into all parts of the country has done away with most of the old stage routes, but it has not decreased the number of interior mail carriers. On the contrary, the star routes, though cut up by the railroads and shortened to an average length of six miles, are still increasing with the increase of population; and the trips over them are continually made oftener. The maps issued by the postoffice department have, in addition to the lines representing railroads, rivers, etc., a vast number of interlocking colored lines, which represent the star routes. There are three colors of lines, on routes over which mail is carried once a week; yellow, on which it goes twice; and blue, over which it passes three times a week.

"It used to be the case that the blue lines on the map were very few," said Colonel L. M. Terrell, the superintendent of the railway mail service for this division, "but now they are quite numerous. Not only this, the postoffice department has within a comparatively recent period adopted the rule that every county seat shall have a daily mail. That is a great advantage to country towns."

The states in which these 7,000 star routes are to be let out are Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi. Of these all but Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina are in Colonel Terrell's division, the headquarters of which are in Atlanta. Of these routes 718 are in Georgia, 719 in Alabama, 388 in Florida, 588 in Mississippi, 427 in South Carolina and 331 in Tennessee. This, of course, is exclusive of the railway mail service, which is extended as fast as new track is built.

The term "star route" is associated in the public mind with criminal prosecutions in which prominent politicians figured unpleasantly some years ago. The name most prominent in the prosecutions was that of Dorsey D. Ramsey, who was charged with the murder of a man named Mulligan, whose name became a campaign issue. The charges against Mr. Ramsey were brought in as a witness. The attempt was made to connect him with the murder by the publication of letters from a man named Mulligan, whose name became a campaign issue. The charges against Mr. Ramsey were brought in as a witness. The attempt was made to connect him with the murder by the publication of letters from a man named Mulligan, whose name became a campaign issue.

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A PECULIAR CASE.

Heard by Judge Marshall J. Clarke Yesterday.

Yesterday morning Judge Marshall J. Clarke heard a peculiar case. It was the petition of Annie Dixon asking the court to cancel a deed she had given to Frances C. Hutchins, et al.

The 14th of September, 1877, N. A. Boutell, for his wife, Rachel Boutell, conveyed a great deal of valuable real estate to the petitioner, which she owned and enjoyed and occupied uninterruptedly until the first part of the year 1891, when said property was taken from her by F. C. Hutchins by fraudulent means. The latter struck up an acquaintance with the petitioner who gradually ingratiated himself in her confidence for the purpose of securing the deed. Finally she consented to go with him to New Orleans. There the defendant procured her to execute a deed conveying her property and induced her to make him executor of her will. He represented to her that she was about to be murdered and that he was the only person who could save her life. The petitioner goes on to allege that the said Hutchins got possession of her property and is enjoying the rents, and that she is entitled to the return of the same. She prays that the court will nullify the deed and grant her the return of the same.

The case is set for trial the 12th of next month.

A UNIQUE ENTERTAINMENT.

Orange Festival at the Central Presbyterian Church.

One of the most delightful entertainments to be held in Atlanta during the holidays was the "Orange Festival" last night in the lecture room of the Central Presbyterian church.

The room was beautifully decorated, and there were many pretty and useful articles.

Prices Cream Baking Powder.

A Pure Cream of Tartar Powder. Superior to every other known. Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard. Delicious Cake and Pastry, Light Flaky Biscuit, Grittle Cakes, Palatable and Wholesome.

No other baking powder does such work.

The limbs were weighted down with golden fruit. Little gifts were enclosed in oranges, and these fell to the little ones.

The children were dressed most tastefully in a great variety of costumes. Some represented each month in the year. It was a radiant scene. The rooms were thronged with bright, laughing, frolicsome children, and there was a good attendance of adults. The teachers of the classes and the superintendent of the Sabbath school were present.

The recitations and music delighted all, and the refreshments were plentiful and enticing. The price of admission was only 10 cents; yet, so large was the attendance, that a handsome sum was realized.

The entertainment was entirely successful in every respect.

A COMMITTEE TO MEET.

And Indications Point to a Gathering of Interest.

The state republican executive committee will meet in Atlanta week after next. The gathering will be held to determine upon the time, place and details of the state convention for choosing the delegates at large to the national convention.

Then, too, the gubernatorial race has been buzzing in the republican camp and the coming contest will be elaborately discussed with a view to putting forth a candidate.

From present indications they will be represented and make a fight of the hottest kind. The meeting for selecting the representatives to the national body will, in all probability, be held in April, and then the matter will assume definite shape.

Colonel A. E. Buck is chairman of the state executive committee, and J. H. Devoe, the collector of customs at Brunswick, is secretary.

The rest of the members of the committee are:

First District—Thomas F. Johnson and L. M. Pleasant, of Savannah.

Second—B. F. Brumby, of Hardsway.

Third—F. F. Putney, of Thomasville; Dr. C. W. Arnold, of Albany.

Fourth—Colonel W. H. Johnson, of Columbus; J. C. Beall, of Hamilton.

Fifth—Milton Allen, of Griffin; S. W. Easley, Jr., of Atlanta.

Sixth—P. O. Holt, of Macon; R. D. Locke, postmaster of Macon.

Seventh—Z. B. Hargrove, of Rome; J. L. Gasset, of Cartersville.

Eighth—John Herd, of Greensboro; Harrison Harris, of Madison.

Ninth—Colonel S. A. Darnell, of Jasper; H. D. Ingersoll, of Dalton.

Tenth—W. Lyons and P. H. Craig, of Augusta.

From the state at large are: Colonel A. E. Buck, Madison Davis, postmaster of Athens; W. J. White, of Augusta; W. W. Brown in Macon; W. A. Pledger, of Athens; R. M. Logan, of Macon; J. H. Devoe, of Brunswick. The entire state executive committee will be reorganized at the spring election.

The ticket as made out for the four delegates at large to the national convention is: Colonel A. E. Buck, Colonel Walter H. Johnson, L. M. Pleasant and W. A. Pledger. They will undoubtedly be chosen to go to Minneapolis with the representatives from the various districts.

Preparations for the gathering week after next are now under way.

THE EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION.

In Its Honor the Negroes Will Celebrate Today.

The twenty-ninth anniversary of the issuing of the emancipation proclamation occurs today.

And the negroes have made big preparations for a celebration.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon a parade will start to be composed of four military companies—the Fulton Guards, under Andrew Hill; the Governor's Volunteers, under Jackson McHenry; the Washington Guards, under Thornton Turner; and the Georgia Cadets, under Mose Bentley.

All the local societies will be in line, including the Masons, Odd Fellows, Samaritans, Knights of Pythias and others. There will be mounted marshals, with R. J. Henry as chief. The procession will end at the courthouse, where appropriate exercises will be held. A permanent organization will first be perfected. Then the emancipation proclamation will be read by W. A. Murphy, a graduate of the Atlanta university. Mr. I. Hardwick, of Clark's university, will read an essay, to be followed by an oration by S. X. Floyd, a teacher in Augusta and a graduate of Atlanta university.

The exercises will all be interspersed by instrumental and vocal music by the students of Spelman seminary and Atlanta university. Tonight there will be a banquet at Odd Fellows' hall, which will be formally opened. Rev. E. R. Carter will be toastmaster.

The committee on arrangements has prepared resolutions to organize a historical society for the purpose of taking charge of such exercises as those today and also to preserve historical facts, etc., about the negro. They will be introduced today.

THE NEW COMMITTEES.

President Hoke Smith Announced Them Yesterday.

At the last meeting of the school board President Hoke Smith was re-elected for the ensuing year, and he announced that he would appoint the committees at his leisure.

Yesterday morning he completed the work, as follows:

Finance—S. S. Thomson, S. M. Inman, W. A. Hemphill, Joseph Hirsch, A. L. Kontz. Salaries and Supplies—Joseph Hirsch, J. J. Lowry, J. W. English, John T. Glenn, J. W. English, R. J. Lowry, J. C. Hendrix.

Library—S. M. Inman, Joseph E. Brown, L. P. Grant, W. C. Calhoun, E. J. Lowry, S. M. Inman, W. A. Hemphill.

Teachers and Examinations—W. R. Hammond, D. A. Beattie, John T. Glenn, A. L. Kontz, W. S. Thomson.

Course of Study and Textbooks—W. M. Bray, A. W. Calhoun, E. J. Lowry, S. M. Inman, W. A. Hemphill.

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Nov. 24. Daily. Nov. 31. Daily.

Nov. 25. Daily. Dec. 1. Daily.

Nov. 26. Daily. Dec. 2. Daily.

Nov. 27. Daily. Dec. 3. Daily.

Nov. 28. Daily. Dec. 4. Daily.

Nov. 29. Daily. Dec. 5. Daily.

Nov. 30. Daily. Dec. 6. Daily.

Nov. 31. Daily. Dec. 7. Daily.

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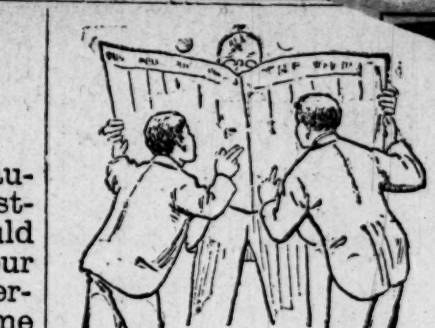
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Three carloads of the twenty-inch pipe have just been received from Bessemer, and will be distributed on Cain street immediately. The work of laying this twenty-inch main will begin at the governor's mansion on Monday. The three carloads will carry thereabout 228 feet, but more pipe will be coming in all the time, and will accumulate faster than it can be laid.

The twenty-inch main goes from Peachtree to Luckie, and out Luckie to North avenue, where it joins a thirty-inch main from the reservoir.

The reservoir is to be an immense affair, covering fifteen or eighteen acres, and the contract is to be let as soon as bids on the work can be got in. The waterworks commission has ordered the advertisement for contracts to move 250,000 cubic yards of earth, etc., to be published in the city dailies.

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C. C. Gilbert, worthy past ruler.
W. J. Shockley, worthy recorder.
J. A. Fischer, worthy vice ruler.
W. M. Curtis, worthy chaplain.
L. W. Kirkpatrick, worthy treasurer.
James C. Allen, worthy secretary.
J. J. Hickey, worthy marshal.

After all the regular business was finished, the members repaired to a restaurant near at hand and enjoyed an impromptu banquet.

The new officers will be formally installed at the next regular meeting.

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